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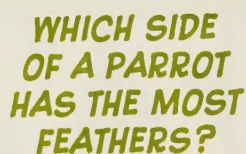


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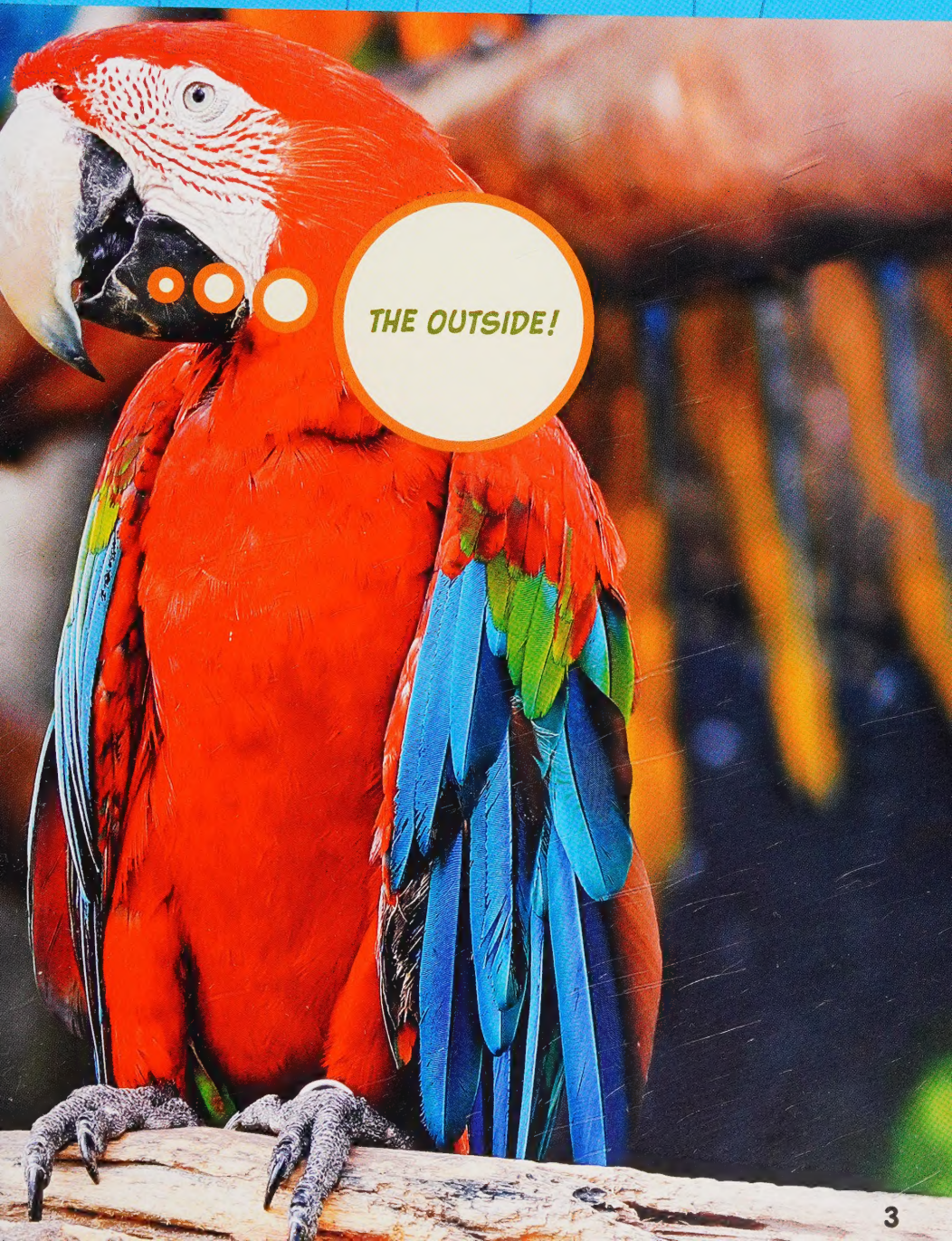
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The Numbers Game



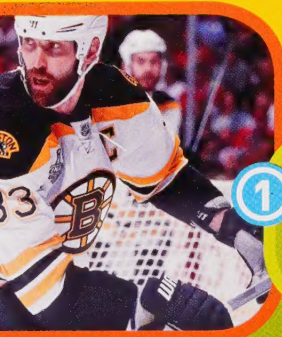
WHICH SIDE
OF A PARROT
HAS THE MOST
FEATHERS?



Think Fast!



CLUB-WINGED MANAKIN



1

Zdeno Chara of the Boston Bruins ice hockey team set a National Hockey League record for the fastest slap shot. How fast was it?

- a. 4 miles an hour (6 km/h)
- b. 55 miles an hour (88 km/h)
- c. 108 miles an hour (174 km/h)
- d. 697 miles an hour (1,122 km/h)

2

How fast did professional speedster Usain Bolt run the 100-meter dash at the 2012 London Olympics?

- a. 2.3 seconds
- b. 9.63 seconds
- c. 1 minute 4 seconds
- d. 10 minutes 17 seconds



BLACK MAMBA

3

If you wanted to outrun the black mamba, the fastest snake in the world, how fast would you need to scoot?

- a. only about 5 miles an hour (8 km/h)
- b. at least 15 miles an hour (24 km/h)
- c. at least 30 miles an hour (48 km/h)
- d. at least 60 miles an hour (97 km/h)

4

Which car can reach speeds of 267 miles an hour (430 km/h)?



Chevrolet Corvette



Alfa Romeo



Volkswagen Beetle



Bugatti Veyron Super Sport

5

China's CRH308A is the fastest way to travel on land legally. What is the CRH308A?

- a. a group of cars chained together
- b. a tour bus for a rock-and-roll band
- c. a train
- d. a horse that drank a lot of coffee

- 6** The male club-winged manakin can flap its wings the fastest of any bird. Why this need for speed?
- a. to attract a mate
 - b. to fly into space
 - c. to fan away pests
 - d. to make hummingbirds feel like losers

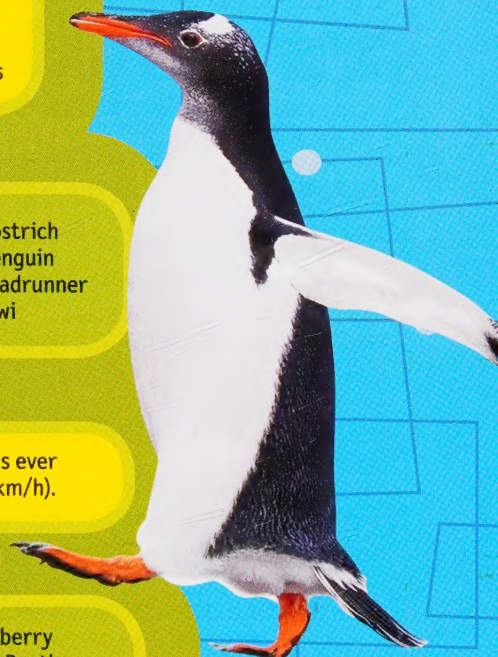
- 7** Which animal can run more than 40 miles an hour (64 km/h), making it the world's fastest running bird?
- a. an ostrich
 - b. a penguin
 - c. a roadrunner
 - d. a kiwi

- 8** True or false? The fastest any human has ever traveled is 24,791 miles an hour (39,897 km/h).

- 9** The fastest piloted airplane can travel more than 2,000 miles an hour (3,218 km/h). What is its name?
- a. the Blackberry
 - b. the Black Panther
 - c. the Blackbird
 - d. the Holy Cow That's Fast!

- 10** Which bird of prey can dive at speeds that are faster than the average race car can drive?
- a. a chicken
 - b. a peregrine falcon
 - c. a turkey vulture
 - d. a duck

- 11** Where is the world's fastest roller coaster?
- a. Six Flags, Jackson, New Jersey, U.S.A.
 - b. Cedar Point, Sandusky, Ohio, U.S.A.
 - c. Fuji-Q Highland, Yamanashi, Japan
 - d. Ferrari World, Abu Dhabi, U.A.E.



GENTOO PENGUIN



ROLLER COASTER

TRUE or FALSE?

Freaky Figures

- 1** IT IS IMPOSSIBLE FOR A PERSON TO SPIT A WATERMELON SEED FARTHER THAN 50 FEET (15 M).
- 2** A MAN FROM TEXAS, U.S.A., SPENT 45 MINUTES IN A BATHTUB WITH 87 VENOMOUS RATTLESNAKES.
- 3** THE WORLD RECORD FOR SKIPPING STONES ACROSS WATER IS 40 SKIPS.
- 4** A BROWN RECLUSE SPIDER CAN HAVE MORE THAN 1,000 SPIDERLINGS A YEAR.
- 5** CHOCOLATE CAN BE MADE INTO A BAR THAT WEIGHS AS MUCH AS AN ELEPHANT.
- 6** THE LARGEST FRESHWATER FISH EVER CAUGHT WAS A CATFISH IN THAILAND THAT WEIGHED 646 POUNDS (293 KG).
- 7** THE YOUNGEST PROFESSIONAL DRUMMER RECORDED HIS FIRST CD WHEN HE WAS 20 MONTHS OLD.
- 8** A MAN IN INDIA GREW HIS MOUSTACHE 14 FEET (4 M) LONG IN ONLY FIVE YEARS.
- 9** TWO FORMER MARINES RODE THEIR BICYCLES UNDERWATER FOR 100 MILES (161 KM).
- 10** IT'S POSSIBLE FOR HAIR TO GROW MORE THAN THREE TIMES THE LENGTH OF AN AVERAGE ADULT'S BODY.
- 11** A 7-YEAR-OLD BOY IN UKRAINE ONCE DID 4,000 PUSH-UPS IN A ROW.
- 12** THE WORLD RECORD FOR THE LONGEST BURP IS 18.1 MINUTES.
- 13** IT'S IMPOSSIBLE TO DO A BREAK-DANCING HEAD SPIN FOR MORE THAN FIVE MINUTES.
- 14** A 10-YEAR-OLD GIRL FROM NEW JERSEY, U.S.A., CAN SQUAT POWER-LIFT 226 POUNDS (102.5 KG).
- 15** HENS CAN LAY ABOUT 265 EGGS A YEAR.

16 TO RAISE MONEY FOR CHARITY, OVER 800 PEOPLE IN ENGLAND GATHERED TOGETHER DRESSED AS BATMAN.

17 A PERSON'S SCREAM IS LOUDER THAN AN AMBULANCE SIREN.

18 A MAN ONCE CLIMBED 16 MILES (25.7 KM) UP MOUNT FUJI ON A POGO STICK.

19 AT 50 YEARS OLD, TAMAЕ WATANABE BECAME THE OLDEST WOMAN TO CLIMB MOUNT EVEREST.

20 THE MOST LIVING CREATURES EVER CAST IN A MOVIE WERE THE 22 MILLION BEES THAT APPEARED IN *THE SWARM*.

21 A PERSON ONCE WATCHED MOVIES CONTINUOUSLY FOR OVER FIVE DAYS.

22 IF YOU WRITE DOWN THE NAMES OF ALL THE CARDS IN A DECK EXCEPT THE JOKER AND COUNT ALL THE LETTERS, THE TOTAL IS 52—THE SAME AS THE NUMBER OF CARDS IN THE DECK.

23 A GROUP OF PEOPLE MADE A HERO SANDWICH THAT MEASURED A WHOPPING 241 FEET (73 M).

24 THERE WAS A CHOCOLATE SUNDAE THAT COST \$25,000.

25 A MAN DIDN'T SLEEP AS HE RODE A FERRIS WHEEL FOR MORE THAN 24 HOURS STRAIGHT.

26 THE HIGHEST WAVE EVER SURFED WAS OVER 100 FEET (30 M) TALL.

27 A RABBIT'S TEETH USUALLY GROW BETWEEN 3 AND 5 INCHES (7.6 TO 12.7 CM) EACH YEAR.

28 CHEFS AT A UNIVERSITY IN MASSACHUSETTS, U.S.A., MADE A STEW THAT WEIGHED 6,656 POUNDS (3,019 KG).

29 EACH YEAR, ABOUT 50 PEOPLE IN THE UNITED STATES ARE STRUCK BY LIGHTNING AND LIVE TO TELL ABOUT IT.

30 THE WORLD'S LARGEST SCHOOL HAS AN ENROLLMENT OF MORE THAN 44,000 STUDENTS.

Pick a Number...

1 Which is the only number that is **twice the sum** of its digits?

- a. 18
- b. 27
- c. 124
- d. There is no such number.

3 Which number in China is **considered unlucky** because its name sounds like the word for **"death"** in Chinese?

- a. 2
- b. 4
- c. 67,1825
- d. a zorn-billion

5 In the expression **"I'll see you in a jiffy,"** how long is a jiffy?

- a. 1/100th of a second
- b. 1 minute
- c. 9 minutes
- d. 8 hours

2 Which of these metro areas is the most populated, with more than **8.9 million people?**

- a. Paris, France
- b. Los Angeles, California, U.S.A.
- c. Tokyo, Japan
- d. Mexico City, Mexico

4 **True or false?** From 1 to 1,000, the only written numeral with an *a* in it is the word **"thousand."**

6 **True or false?**
 $12 + 3 - 4 + 5 + 67 + 8 + 9 = 98$

7 In which number are the letters of its written form in **alphabetical order**?

- a. 40
- b. 64
- c. 76
- d. 99

9 True or false? The opposite sides of a die always **add up to 7**.

8 Which number is also known as **naught**, **zilch**, and **zip**?

- a. 0
- b. 9
- c. 100
- d. There is no such number.

10 How many **hexagons** are on an official **soccer ball**?

- a. 5
- b. 6
- c. 20
- d. none

11 Assuming one **second per count**, how long would it take you to **count to one billion**?

- a. 3 hours
- b. 3 days
- c. 32 days
- d. 32 years



THE AMAZING HUMAN MACHINE

1 About how many bacteria live on or in your body at any one time?

- a. 50
- b. 7,000
- c. 32 million
- d. a trillion

2 About how many different species of organisms live in an adult's intestines at one time?

- a. Zero. Everything gets digested.
- b. 1
- c. 500
- d. 100,000

3 How many fingers do most cartoon characters have on one hand?

- a. 3
- b. 4
- c. 5
- d. 6

4 On average, how much taller are you in the morning than in the evening?

- a. 0.4 inch (1 cm)
- b. 1 inch (2.5 cm)
- c. 3 inches (7.6 cm)
- d. 12 inches (30.5 cm)

5 In your lifetime, how many spiders will you eat while sleeping?

- a. Zero. Spiders typically don't let themselves get eaten.
- b. 4 to 8
- c. 10 to 15
- d. a thousand

6 Sudden exposure to _____ causes between 10 and 35 percent of the population to sneeze.

- a. bright light
- b. coffee
- c. tissues
- d. chores



7

What is the largest number of children born to one woman in a lifetime?

- a. 4
- b. 18
- c. 69
- d. 101

8

How many times a day does the average person pass gas?

- a. 1
- b. 14
- c. 134
- d. No one knows because no one will tell.

9

True or false? The only place where organisms cannot live on your body is in your eyelashes.

10

The human heart can create enough pressure to squirt blood this far.

- a. 14 inches (36 cm)
- b. 2 feet (61 cm)
- c. 30 feet (9 m)
- d. 1 mile (1.6 km)

11

How often do people shed their entire layer of outer skin cells?

- a. every 2 to 4 weeks
- b. every 6 months
- c. once a year
- d. every time they watch a scary movie

12

The average human body contains enough carbon to make how many pencils?

- a. 1
- b. 150
- c. 900
- d. 10,000

To Infinity... and Beyond!

1 When daredevil Felix Baumgartner skydived from the edge of **Earth's atmosphere** and parachuted **back to Earth**, about how far did he travel?

- a. 24 miles (39 km)
- b. 432 miles (695 km)
- c. 5,728 miles (9,218 km)
- d. To infinity

3 Which is the **farthest distance** any human has ever been from **Earth**?

- a. 6.6 miles (11 km)
- b. 23 miles (37 km)
- c. 1,324 miles (2,131 km)
- d. 248,655 miles (400,171 km)

5 What travels **186,282 miles (299,792 km) per second**?

- a. a comet
- b. a spacecraft
- c. light
- d. an asteroid

2 How long would it take to get to **Mars** on a **modern spacecraft**?

- a. 25 days, if the traffic's not bad
- b. 150 to 300 days, depending on how close Earth is to Mars
- c. a little over 10 years
- d. 23 years, with the right kind of rocket

4 How many Earths could fit inside **Jupiter**?

- a. 2
- b. 17
- c. 200
- d. more than 1,000

6 What is the record **number of days** spent in space by a human?

- a. 2
- b. 28
- c. 438
- d. 1,825

7 **True or false?** Up to 98 percent of astronauts' urine can get recycled back into drinking water on the **International Space Station**.

9 How old was the oldest person to ever **travel in space**?

- a. 24 years old
- b. 53 years old
- c. 77 years old
- d. 101 years old

11 How long did it take for **Apollo 11**—the first spacecraft to land on the moon—to reach the moon?

- a. 3 days
- b. 1 week
- c. 1 month
- d. 1 year

8 What is the longest amount of time spent by a **human on the moon**?

- a. 34 minutes
- b. 8 hours
- c. about 75 hours
- d. 5 days

10 About how wide was the **asteroid** that may have led to the **dinosaurs'** extinction?

- a. as wide as a soccer goal, about 24 feet (7.3 m)
- b. as wide as five football fields, about 500 yards (457 m)
- c. as wide as 26 Great Pyramids of Egypt, about 6 miles (10 km)
- d. as wide as Taiwan, about 106 to 186 miles (171 to 299 km)

12 What is the record for the **longest human space walk**?

- a. 32 minutes
- b. 24 hours
- c. 8 hours, 56 minutes
- d. 72 hours, 45 minutes

By the Numbers



POPEYE

- ① If you attend school for 6 hours a day and 180 days a year, how many hours will you have been in school by the time you complete kindergarten to grade 12?
- a. 84
 - b. 380
 - c. 14,040
 - d. Too many!

- ② How many holes are there in a Wiffle ball?
- a. 3: 2 for your fingers and 1 for your thumb
 - b. 8
 - c. 24
 - d. 120

- ③ In what year was Popeye the Sailor Man created?
- a. 1899
 - b. 1929
 - c. 1945
 - d. 1990



- ④ How long is a bowling alley?
- a. 3 feet (1 m)
 - b. 60 feet (18 m)
 - c. 200 feet (61 m)
 - d. 500 feet (152 m)

- ⑤ Which three numbers are used as the area code in telephone numbers in movies and television but not in real telephone numbers?
- a. 222
 - b. 555
 - c. 845
 - d. 911

- ⑥ About how much does a million dollars weigh if it is all in one-dollar bills?
- a. 1 pound (0.45 kg)
 - b. 500 pounds (228 kg)
 - c. 2,200 pounds (998 kg)
 - d. 1 million pounds (453,592 kg)





7 About how many times can you fold paper money before it tears?

- a. 52
- b. 257
- c. 2,500
- d. 4,000

8 True or false? It is 10:30 on the clock tower of Independence Hall pictured on the \$100 bill issued in late 2013.

9 About how many slices of pizza are eaten each second in the U.S.?

- a. 2
- b. 15
- c. 185
- d. 350



10 About how many teeth can a shark lose over a lifetime?

- a. fewer than 50
- b. 100 to 200
- c. 5,000 to 6,000
- d. more than 30,000

11 Which country claims that over 99 percent of the adults living there have cell phones?

- a. the United States
- b. Great Britain
- c. the Czech Republic
- d. the nation of Cellphonia

12 How much does it cost to buy a bag of \$10,000 in shredded money from the U.S. Bureau of Engraving and Printing?

- a. Get the tape out. It's free!
- b. \$1.00
- c. \$45.00
- d. \$100.00



Wonders of NATURE

1 What is the **fastest-growing plant** on Earth, growing about **35 inches (91 cm)** a day?

- a. kudzu vine
- b. bamboo
- c. spider plant
- d. dandelion

3 The world's **largest beaver dam** is so big, it can be located using **Google Earth**. How big is it?

- a. two times the length of Hoover Dam
- b. three times the length of a tennis court
- c. five times the size of a bathtub
- d. the same size as Yankee Stadium in New York

5 The convergent **ladybug** can have **13** of these. What are they?

- a. pairs of legs
- b. eyes
- c. layers of wings
- d. spots

2 The oldest individual tree on Earth is a **bristlecone pine**. About how old is it?

- a. 100 years old
- b. 586 years old
- c. 5,062 years old
- d. 1.5 million years old

4 One of the world's largest **spiderwebs** was found in Texas, U.S.A. About how big was it?

- a. the size of two football fields
- b. the size of two extra-large pizzas with mosquito toppings
- c. the size of Loch Ness
- d. the size of the Great Wall of China

6 True or false? Electric eels generate enough electricity to light up a **Christmas tree**

7 What is Earth's loudest **animal**?

- a. the screech owl
- b. the elephant
- c. the blue whale
- d. the laughing hyena

9 About how many **glasses of milk** can the average cow produce in its lifetime?

- a. 240
- b. 720
- c. 700,000
- d. 200,000

11 How fast can a **woodpecker** peck?

- a. 20 times a second
- b. 150 times a second
- c. 300 times a second
- d. 850 times a second

8 True or false?

Some species of **seals** can hold their breath underwater for an hour.

10 How big was the world's largest **jack-o'-lantern**?

- a. 24 pounds (11 kg)
- b. 200 pounds (91 kg)
- c. 1,811 pounds (821 kg)
- d. 2,345 pounds (1,064 kg)

12 About how many **quills** does a **porcupine** have?

- a. 700
- b. 1,400
- c. 10,000
- d. 30,000



That's Entertainment!



1

In what year did Mickey Mouse appear in his first movie?

- a. 1982
- b. 1947
- c. 1928
- d. 1896



2

About how many hours a week does the average teenager spend playing video games?

- a. 9
- b. 12
- c. 20
- d. 50

3

How much did a rare 1914 Babe Ruth baseball card recently sell for?

- a. \$24
- b. \$300
- c. \$8,900
- d. \$450,000

4

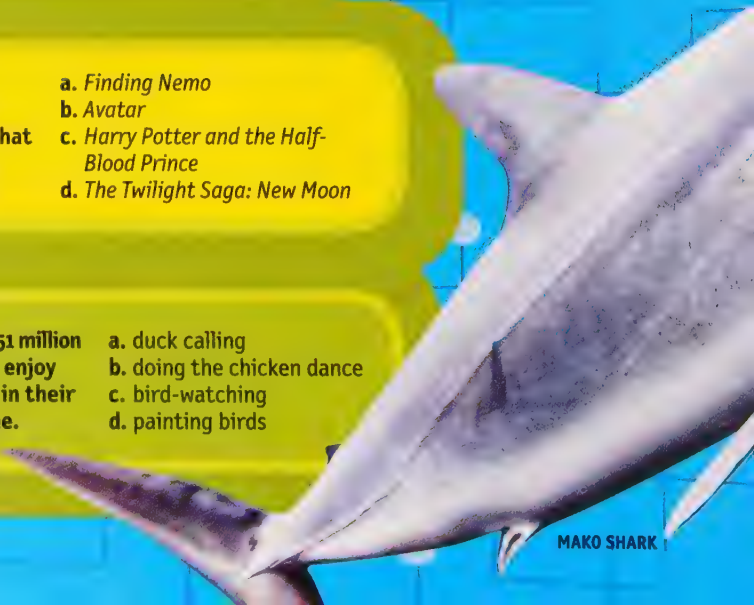
With more than \$760,000,000 in box-office sales, what is the top-selling movie of all time?

- a. *Finding Nemo*
- b. *Avatar*
- c. *Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince*
- d. *The Twilight Saga: New Moon*

5

More than 51 million Americans enjoy this hobby in their leisure time.

- a. duck calling
- b. doing the chicken dance
- c. bird-watching
- d. painting birds



MAKO SHARK

6

In bowling, what does a Golden Turkey refer to?

- a. a full game of gutter balls
- b. nine strikes in a row
- c. the guy in the next lane who cheats
- d. a strike

7

True or false? Some people once spent 384 hours playing Monopoly in a moving elevator.

8

What U.S. sport offered fans tickets to its championship game for \$2,600 each?

- a. football
- b. baseball
- c. hockey
- d. thumb wrestling



MONOPOLY

9

Americans spend about \$22 billion a year on these.

- a. toys
- b. books
- c. parades
- d. bicycles

10

A fisherman reeled in a mako shark weighing 1,323.5 pounds (600 kg). How long did it take to reel in this monster of a fish?

- a. 23 minutes
- b. 1 hour 5 minutes
- c. 2 hours 30 minutes
- d. He's still trying to reel him in!

11

What U.S. national monument gets almost 6 million visitors each year?

- a. the Lincoln Memorial in Washington, D.C.
- b. the Statue of Liberty in New York
- c. the Liberty Bell in Pennsylvania
- d. Mount Rushmore in South Dakota



GAME SHOW

ULTIMATE NUMBERS CHALLENGE



1

How many miles of bookshelves line the U.S. Library of Congress, one of the world's largest libraries?

- a. 9 miles (14 km)
- b. 84 miles (135 km)
- c. 200 miles (320 km)
- d. 838 miles (1,349 km)

2

TRUE OR FALSE?

The average person speaks 600 words per day.

3

TRUE OR FALSE?

When Apollo 11 landed on the moon, it had only about 30 seconds of fuel left.



4

On average, how many hours does a sloth sleep each day?

- a. 1 to 4 hours
- b. 6 to 8 hours
- c. 15 to 20 hours
- d. 22 to 24 hours



5

Being on "cloud nine" means you are _____.

- a. really happy
- b. very rich
- c. dressed in your best
- d. flying at an altitude of 9,000 feet (2,743.2 m)

6

How wide is the world's biggest flower, the giant Rafflesia, also called the stinking corpse lily?

- a. 5 inches (12.7 cm)
- b. 12 inches (30.48 cm)
- c. 39 inches (99.06 cm)
- d. 50 feet (15.24 m)

7

With five million square feet (464,515,200 m²) of shopping area and room for 2,350 stores, what is the world's biggest mall?

- a. Mall of America, U.S.A.
- b. South China Mall, China
- c. Dubai Mall, United Arab Emirates
- d. Istanbul Cevahir, Turkey

11

About how many Earths would fit inside the sun?

- a. 10
- b. 500
- c. 1 million
- d. 5,000

12

TRUE OR FALSE?

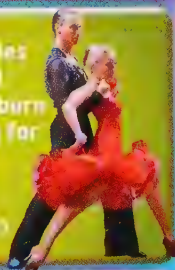
When scientists tested for poop on belly buttons, they found 3,200 different species of bacteria.



13

How many calories can a 150-pound (68-kg) person burn by salsa dancing for an hour?

- a. None
- b. 500
- c. 1,500
- d. 3,000



14

What is the speed of the fastest pitch ever recorded in baseball?

- a. 22.8 miles an hour (36.7 km/h)
- b. 54 miles an hour (87 km/h)
- c. 105.1 miles an hour (169.1 km/h)
- d. 300 miles an hour (483 km/h)

15

What does the Roman numeral MMDCXLVII mean?

- a. 213
- b. 1,028
- c. 2,647
- d. It's time for the Olympics again.

16

About how many people could fit inside a blue whale's mouth?

- a. 1
- b. 5
- c. 100
- d. 250

17

Iceland is one of the countries with the largest Internet use. Which percent of the population surfs the Net?

- a. 25 percent
- b. 50 percent
- c. 90 percent
- d. 100 percent



18

ULTIMATE BRAIN BUSTER

CAN YOU NAME THIS GAME, WHICH EARNS AROUND \$300 MILLION EACH YEAR DESPITE BEING FREE TO PLAY?

ANSWERS

Think Fast! pages 4–5



1. c
2. b
3. b
4. d
5. c
6. a
7. a
8. **True.** The crew of the Apollo 10 spacecraft reentered Earth's atmosphere at this speed.
9. c
10. b
11. d

True or False? Freaky Figures, pages 6–7

1. **False.** Jason Schayot once spit a seed 78.5 feet (23.9 m).
2. **True.** Jackie Bibby, the "Snake Man," also set a record for most rattlesnakes held at once in his mouth.
3. **False.** The previous record of 40 skips was broken by a Pennsylvania man who tossed a stone across the water for 51 skips.
4. **False.** Brown recluse spiders can have only about 150 spiderlings a year. That's still a lot of spiders.
5. **True.** The world's largest chocolate bar weighed 12,190 pounds (5,529 kg), about the weight of an Asian elephant.
6. **True.** The catfish was roughly the size of a grizzly bear.
7. **True.** Julian Pavone recorded the CD "Go, Baby" with bassist Ralphie Armstrong.
8. **False.** That was the length of Ram Singh Chauhan's mustache as of 2013 after growing it for 42 years.
9. **True.** It took 15 hours, and they performed this feat to raise money for the Royal Marine Association in England.
10. **True.** Tran Van Hay had hair that measured 18.4 feet (5.6 m). He didn't cut his hair for 50 years.
11. **True.** Andriy Kostash did all those push-ups in less than 3 hours.
12. **False.** The world record is only 18.1 seconds.
13. **False.** "B-Girl Spinderella" did a continuous head spin in break-dancing for an incredible 13 minutes 53 seconds when she was 11 years old.
14. **True.** Naomi Kutin lifted more than twice her own weight to set the record.
15. **True.** All the hens in the United States produce a total of 92.9 billion eggs yearly.
16. **False.** The people dressed up as Superman.
17. **False.** A person's shout can be as loud as a car horn at 110 decibels, but a siren is slightly louder at 120 decibels.

18. **True.** In 1993, Ashrita Furman climbed up to the snow-line of Mount Fuji one pogo hop at a time.
19. **False.** Tamae Watanabe climbed Mount Everest when she was 73 years old.
20. **True.** Many of the bees had their stingers removed by hand.
21. **True.** Ashish Sharma of India spent 120 hours 23 minutes glued to a TV. That's a lot of commercials!
22. **True.** Find a deck of cards and see for yourself.
23. **False.** The sandwich was actually 10 times the size at 2,411 feet (735 m). Three teams in Lebanon made the sandwich in 2011.
24. **True.** It included edible gold flakes and was served at a restaurant called Serendipity 3 in New York City.
25. **True.** He rode the Ferris wheel for 48 hours.
26. **True.** A professional surfer from Hawaii surfed the wave in Nazare, Portugal.
27. **True.** Like all rodents' teeth, a rabbit's front teeth are constantly growing.
28. **True.** It was a seafood stew.
29. **False.** Around 400 people in the U.S. survive lightning strikes each year.
30. **True.** About 2,500 teachers teach those students at the City Montessori School in Lucknow, India.

Pick a Number ... pages 8–9

1. a
2. c
3. b
4. **True.** Also, when you write out the numerals 0–10, the letter "e" occurs ten times.
5. a
6. **False.** It equals 100.
7. a
8. a
9. **True.** So the total number of dots is 21.
10. c
11. d

The Amazing Human Machine, pages 10–11

1. c
2. c
3. b
4. a
5. a
6. a
7. c
8. b
9. **False.** Tiny eight-legged mites are always living in your eyelashes.
10. c
11. a
12. b



To Infinity ... and Beyond! pages 12–13

1. a
2. b
3. d
4. d
5. c
6. c
7. **Gross but true.** The urine is passed through a recycling system on the station.
8. c
9. c
10. d
11. a
12. b



By the Numbers, pages 14–15

1. c
2. b
3. b
4. b
5. b
6. c
7. d
8. **True.** On the previous \$100 bill, the time was 4:10. There's no historical significance to either time.
9. d
10. d
11. c
12. c



Wonders of Nature, pages 16–17

1. b
2. c
3. a
4. a
5. d
6. **True.** The eel can produce an electric shock with about as much energy (500 watts) as five lightbulbs.
7. c
8. **True.** Some seals living in the Arctic can hold their breath for an hour or more under the ice.
9. c
10. d
11. a
12. d

That's Entertainment! pages 18–19

1. c
2. a
3. d
4. b
5. c
6. b
7. True. There are records for most hours of playing Monopoly in a bathtub, in a tree, and in other crazy places.
8. a
9. a
10. c
11. a



Game Show: Ultimate Numbers Challenge, pages 20–21

1. d
2. False. The average person speaks 31,500 words per day.
3. True. Neil Armstrong took manual control of the spacecraft and landed with only about 30 seconds of fuel to spare.
4. c
5. a
6. c
7. b
8. c
9. True. And everyone has his or her own unique combination of bacteria, like a gross fingerprint.
10. b
11. c
12. c
13. c
14. c
15. Candy Crush



SCORING



0–41

NUMB TO NUMBERS

Digits don't do it for you, but that's okay. Just remember, almost everything relies on math and measurements, so count on needing to count someday.

42–84

COOL AS A CALCULATOR

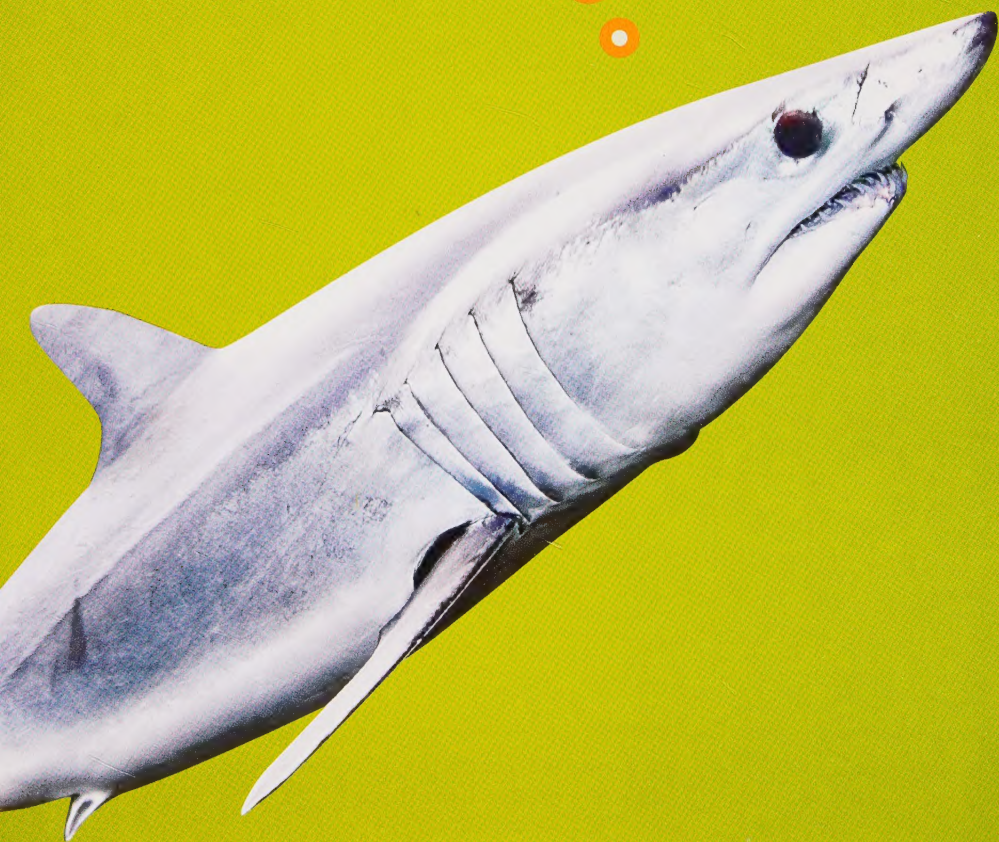
For you, most numbers are as easy as 1, 2, 3. You "even" know a few "odd" facts about a number of things. Keep adding answers to your brain to multiply your knowledge.

85–126

MATHEMAGICIAN!

When it comes to numbers, your knowledge is almost infinite. How does it feel to be a walking computer?

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